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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
TAKUYA MORI : EXAMINER: EDWARDS, L.  
SERIAL NO: 10/525,090 :  
FILED: FEBRUARY 23, 2005 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1734  
FOR: MAINTENANCE SYSTEM, :  
SUBSTRATE PROCESSING :  
APPARATUS, REMOTE OPERATION :  
UNIT AND COMMUNICATION METHOD :

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

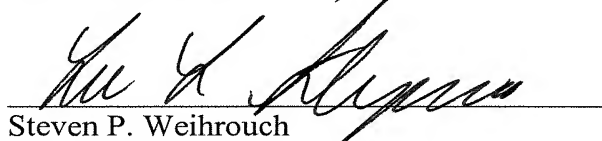
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SIR:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed September 28, 2007, Applicants elect Group I, listed in the Restriction Requirement as readable on Claims 1-10 and 21-30, for further examination on the merits in the present application. Applicants reserve the right to file one or more divisional applications directed to the non-elected group.

Respectfully submitted,

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